

Remarks

Status of the Claims

Claims 32, 33 and 38-44 were pending. No claims are amended or added herein.

Restriction

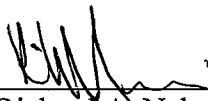
The Action subjected claims 32-36 and 38-44 to restriction. However, claims 34-36 were previously withdrawn. Applicants assume that the restriction applies to claims 32, 33 and 38-44.

The Action required a species election between CMOS imaging system and CCD imaging system. Applicants elect CCD imaging system, which reads on claims 39 and 42.

The Action further required a species election between Peltier heat exchange element and fan. Applicants elect the species of Peltier heat exchange element, which reads on claim 43.

Applicants note that there are numerous generic claims (e.g., 32, 33) and that if the generic claims are found allowable, claims to additional species written in dependent form will be entitled to consideration.

Respectfully submitted,



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